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OF

STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS

TO THE

GOVERNOR OF MONTANA

HONORABLE FORREST H. ANDERSON

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDED

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Colter Hall, Montana State University
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July, 1970

The Honorable Forrest H. Anderson
Governor
State of Montana
Helena, Montana 59601

Dear Governor Anderson:

In accordance with the requirements of Section 82-4002, R.C.M. 1947, there is herewith transmitted to you the report of the State Board of Architectural Examiners covering the fiscal year ended June 30, 1970.

The Montana Board of Architectural Examiners, as a member board of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards, is cooperating in a study of revised requirements for professional licensing. The final results of this extensive re-evaluation may have a profound effect on examination content and procedures.

The Montana Board has necessarily been engaged in all aspects of this development through active participation in regional and national workshops. Since the final result of this study is anticipated to have a direct effect on the determinations made by the Montana Board it respectfully requests holding in abeyance recommendations which might have been an important part of this report until the conclusion of this study.

Respectfully submitted,

Harold C. Rose
Executive Secretary-Treasurer

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STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS

OFFICER TERM OF OFFICE	ADDRESS
Wilbur J. Bennington, President April 3, 1969 - May 31, 1973	P. O. Box 1456, Billings, Mont.
Raymond A. Thon, Treasurer April 3, 1969 - May 31, 1973	P. O. Box 1040, Kalispell, Mont.
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The statutes relating to the operations of the State Board of Architectural Examiners are contained in Title 66, Revised Codes of Montana, 1947 and Amendments thereto. Operating policies necessary to administer statutory requirements are contained in the Laws, Rules and Regulations Applicable to the Practice of Architecture in Montana.

PRINCIPAL GOALS

The State Board of Architectural Examiners exists to plan, provide and direct activities within the state designed to register professionals for the practice of architecture by means of written examination and reciprocity. The Board has the responsibility to maintain a current roster of architects licensed to practice in Montana through the collection of annual fees.

PROGRAM INVENTORY AND COST SUMMARY

	Cost 1969-70 F.Y.
Administration	$5,792.82

During the 1969-1970 fiscal year, 5 architects were registered by written examination and 18 architects were registered by reciprocity. The Board participated in national discussion sessions regarding major revisions in examining procedures.

No major recommendations anticipated for the next fiscal year.

ADMINISTRATION

Services to insure sound and accurate examination for the license to practice architecture in the State of Montana following the guidelines of the state statutes and the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards. This service may be provided by written examination or review of nationally recognized credentials for licensing by reciprocity.

Objectives. To coordinate the activities of the Board with similar boards in the other forty-nine states and territories in assuring a standard level of competency for professional liscensure.

Target Groups. Registered architects, candidates for registration and architectural students.

Achievements. Annual written examination was presented which was coordinated with the examination period in other states. Results of the examination will not be available until the fall of 1970. Examination procedures and test credentials have been studied by board members during regional and national workshop periods. This program will take some time to complete, however, at the present time it is ahead of schedule on a national level.

Cost and Performance Summary. The following data is presented in summary form. Additional data is available upon request.

Cost	1969-70 fiscal year	$5,792.82
	1968-69	$6,832.51
	1967-68	$5,366.20

PROJECT COSTS BY OBJECT OF
EXPENDITURE AND SOURCE OF FUNDING
1969-70 Fiscal Year

ADMINISTRATION

Object of Expenditure	
Personal Services	$ 1,383.36
Operations	4,337.96
Capital	71.50
Total Expended	$ 5,792,82

Source of Funding	
Earmarked revenue fund	$ 6,175.50